Clearance of pending projects of Bihar

1756. SHRI BASHISTHA NARAIN SINGH: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) the number of projects from Bihar pending with his Ministry for sanction;

(b) what are the reasons for delay in according the sanction;

(c) by when these projects are likely to be accorded sanction;

(d) whether any requests have been received from the Bihar Government for according sanction to these projects;

(e) if so, the details thereof; and

(f) the action taken by Government in this regard and by when these projects are likely to be cleared?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PLANNING (SHRIMATI VASUNDHARA RAJE): (a) to (f) No project of Bihar is pending with Planning Commission for sanction. However, projects in the areas of power, roads and bridges, irrigation, horticulture, dairy development, etc. for Bihar have been accepted in principle by the High Level Committee on the Development and Reform Facility and their sanction will depend on factors such as preparation of Detailed Projects Reports, availability of funds, etc.

National Vision 2020

1757. DR. T. SUBBARAMI REDDY:
SHRI MOOLCHAND MEENA:

Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether the National Vision 2020 document, prepared by the Planning Commission has been presented to Government;

(b) if so, the points mentioned in the document;

(c) whether the Planning Commission has decided to work on broad areas and drawn-out a development map for the country for the next two decades;

(d) if so, whether Government have accepted the document; and

(e) if so, what are the steps being taken to implement the same?